## Terry Cline, Ph.D., Commissioner of Health

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December 1, 2015

The Honorable Jeffrey Hickman, Speaker Oklahoma State House of Representatives State Capitol, Room 401 Oklahoma City, OK 73105

Dear Representative Hickman:

This report is provided to meet the statutory requirement that has been in effect since November 1, 2006. The Oklahoma State Department of Health (OSDH) is to contract with non-governmental health care and special service organizations to provide alternatives-to-abortion services.

During State Fiscal Year 2015, the OSDH and Deaconess Pregnancy and Adoption Services entered into a contractual relationship to provide adoption services.

If you have any questions, please contact Dr. Mark Newman, Office of State and Federal Policy, at (405) 271-4200 or at <a href="marksn@health.ok.gov">marksn@health.ok.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

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